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In re application of:

John Sheridan RICHARDS et al.

Serial No.:

10/612,219

Filed: For:

July 2, 2003 AUTOMATIC MOTOR PHASE PRESETTING FOR A WEB PRINTING PRESS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action (8 pages) in the above-identified application.

| [] | Small entity status | s under 37 C.F.R. | 1.9 and 1.27 has been | previously established. |
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Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27. []

No fee for additional claims is required. [X]

A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

| | (Col. 1)_ | (Col. 2) | _ | SMALL | ENTITY | | LARGE ENTITY |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|----------|-----------------|--------|-----------|--------------------|
| FOR: | REMAINING | HIGHEST | | <u> RATE</u> | FEE | <u>OR</u> | RATE FEE |
| | AFTER | PREVIOUSLY | PRESENT | | | | |
| <u> </u> | AMENDMENT | PAID FOR | EXTRA | | | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | * Minus | s 20 = | 0 | <u> x \$ 9</u> | 1\$ | | <u> x \$ 18 \$</u> |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | * Minus | 5 3 = | 0 [| <u> x \$ 43</u> | 1\$ | | <u> x \$ 86 \$</u> |
| FIRST PRE | SENTATION OF | MULTIPLE DE | P. CLAIM | <u>l+ \$145</u> | 1\$ | | + \$290 \$ |
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If the entry in Co. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

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| [] | Also transmitted herewith are: [] Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 [] Other: |
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| [] | Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 is/are attached to cover: |

[] Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16

[] Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136

[] Other:

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this [X] communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by [X] check submitted herewith.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

ĺΧΪ Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR

1.136.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the office action dated September 3, 2004, please reconsider the aboveidentified patent application based on the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 5 of this document.